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RE: U.S. Patent Application No. 10/577,890 to Thumby et al. (Our Docket No. UDL-004)

Dear Examiner Thomson:

Thank you for your call to my colleague Mr. Steven Frank yesterday, December 17, 2007, confirming that the Notice of Abandonment what was issued on December 10, 2007, for the above-identified application is erroneous and will be vacated when we respond to the pending Decision on Petition Under 39 C.F.R. 1.47(a) and request the appropriate extension of time.

We appreciate your assistance with this matter.

Very truly yours,

W. Gary Dewar, PhD Science/Law Clerk

cc: Mr. Steven Frank, Esq.

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